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This is in response to the February 5, 2007 Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Application Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures.

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Remarks

Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c), patent applications that contain disclosures of nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences must contain the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences. In the present application, a nucleotide (adenosine triphosphate on page 43, lines 4-6) and amino acids (page 23, lines 3-5) are disclosed, but are not embraced by the 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(a)(1) and (2) definitions. Therefore, a nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence listing is not required in the above-identified application.

In view of the foregoing, reconsideration and withdrawal of the Notice Requirement is respectfully requested. A copy of the Notice is enclosed.

<u>Fees</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

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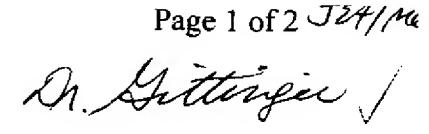
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- This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 CFR 1.821(c) Applicant must provide an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment specifically directing its entry into the application and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).
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